

SEC. 2. The Secretary of Agriculture either independently or in cooperation with public or private agencies is authorized to carry out operations or measures to eradicate, suppress, control, or prevent the spread of, the golden nematode.

Cooperation with other agencies.

SEC. 3. The activities contemplated by this Act include cooperation with States and other agencies in making inspections, applying suppressive measures, enforcing quarantines, enforcing restrictions on the planting of potatoes and tomatoes, destroying potatoes and tomatoes growing in soil found infested or exposed to infestation with the golden nematode, and compensating growers in areas infected, or exposed to infestation, with the golden nematode for not planting potatoes or tomatoes or for losses resulting from destruction for the purposes of this Act of potatoes or tomatoes.

Inspection, etc., of potatoes and tomatoes.

SEC. 4. In the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture no part of any sums appropriated to carry out the purposes of this Act shall be expended with respect to any area infested with the golden nematode or exposed to such infestation until the appropriate cooperating agency or agencies have presented evidence satisfactory to the Secretary of Agriculture that they will provide funds, materials, means, and State and local authority necessary for the cooperating agency or agencies to carry out effectively that part of the cooperative program the Secretary of Agriculture may require from the cooperating agency or agencies.

Assistance of cooperating agencies.

SEC. 5. The Secretary of Agriculture shall not undertake any program involving mandatory restrictions on the planting of potatoes or tomatoes, or mandatory destruction of potatoes or tomatoes unless the State concerned shall have enacted legislation authorizing such restrictions or destruction.

Restrictions on planting; destruction.

SEC. 6. The amount of compensation to be paid by the Federal Government and any cooperating agency, and the method of computation thereof, shall be determined by the Secretary of Agriculture or the agent or agents designated by him, in cooperation with the responsible officials of the agency concerned and in a manner to assure that necessary records are preserved to show full compliance with the provisions of this Act and regulations promulgated in accordance therewith. No payment shall be made to any grower except after compliance in good faith with regulations concerning the golden nematode promulgated by the Secretary of Agriculture and the responsible official of the cooperating agency. The determination by the Secretary of Agriculture, or his authorized agent, of the amount of compensation to be provided by the Federal Government for any grower shall be final.

Payments by Federal Government.

SEC. 7. To carry out the purposes of this Act the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to incur all necessary expenses, including the employment of persons in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, printing and binding, and the purchase of passenger-carrying vehicles.

Expenses.
Post, p. 1037.

SEC. 8. The provisions of this Act are intended to supplement, and shall not be construed as limiting or repealing existing legislation.

SEC. 9. This Act may be cited as the "Golden Nematode Act".

Short title.

Approved June 15, 1948.

[CHAPTER 472]

AN ACT

Making supplemental appropriations for the Federal Security Agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and for other purposes.

June 16, 1948
[H. R. 6355]

[Public Law 646]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise

The Supplemental Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1949.
Ante, p. 396; *post*, p. 1032.

appropriated, for the Federal Security Agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, namely:

TITLE I—FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Assistance to States, general: For an additional amount for "Assistance to States, general", including the objects and authorities applicable to funds appropriated under this head in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1949, and the purchase of fifty additional passenger motor vehicles, \$1,000,000.

Mental health activities: For expenses necessary for carrying out the provisions of sections 301, 302, 311, 312, 314 (c), and 321 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, with respect to mental diseases; sections 322, 324, 326, 504, and 710 of such Act with respect to treatment at the Public Health Service hospitals, Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexington, Kentucky, of persons suffering from psychiatric disorders; and sections 303, 341, 343, and 344 of such Act, and Executive Order 9079, dated February 26, 1942, including the objects specified in the preamble paragraph under the heading "Public Health Service" in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1949; minor repairs to and maintenance of buildings; purchase of not to exceed three passenger motor vehicles, of which two shall be for replacement only; court costs and other expenses incident to proceedings taken for commitment of mentally incompetent persons to hospitals; expenses of preparing and transporting remains, or reasonable burial expenses, for any patient dying in a hospital; firearms and ammunition; reimbursement to the working-capital fund for articles or services furnished by the industrial activities; expenses incurred in pursuing, identifying, and returning escaped prisoners, including rewards for their capture; transportation and subsistence allowance, within continental United States, of any narcotic addict voluntarily admitted and discharged as cured; reimbursement to employees, subject to regulations of the Federal Security Administrator, for the cost of repair or replacement of personal belongings damaged or destroyed by patients while such employees were engaged in the performance of their official duties; tobacco for patients; \$9,028,000, of which \$2,400,000 shall be for the operation (exclusive of research and training) of the Public Health Service hospitals, Fort Worth, Texas, and Lexington, Kentucky; and, in addition to the amount appropriated herein, the Surgeon General is authorized, upon the recommendations of the National Advisory Mental Health Council, to make research and training grants for periods beyond the fiscal year 1949, and such grants (not exceeding a total of \$2,300,000 for such periods) shall, if approved during the fiscal year 1949, constitute a contractual obligation of the Federal Government: *Provided*, That the Surgeon General is authorized to transfer to the appropriation "Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth", such amounts as may be necessary for pay and allowances of regular corps officers assigned to the program.

Disease and sanitation investigations and control, Territory of Alaska: To enable the Surgeon General to conduct, in the Service, and to cooperate with and assist the Territory of Alaska in the conduct of, activities necessary in the investigation, prevention, treatment, and control of diseases, and the establishment and maintenance of health and sanitation services pursuant to and for the purposes specified in sections 301, 311, 314 (without regard to the provisions of subsections (d), (e), (g), and (i) and the limitations set forth in subsection (c) of such section), 361, 363, and 704 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, including the hire, operation, and maintenance of aircraft

Ante, p. 400.

58 Stat. 691-714;
60 Stat. 423, 1049.
42 U. S. C. §§ 241-
244, 246 (c), 248, 249
and note, 251, 253,
222, 242a, 257, 259,
260; Supp. I, § 249
note; 33 U. S. C.
§ 783c.
Post, pp. 467, 468,
601, 1017, 1018.
24 U. S. C. note
prec. § 191.
Ante, p. 399.

Research and train-
ing grants.

Transfer of funds.
Ante, p. 402.

58 Stat. 691, 693,
703, 704, 711.
42 U. S. C. §§ 241,
243, 246, 264, 266, 201
note; Supp. I, § 266
note.
Post, pp. 467, 468,
601, 1017.

and the objects specified in the paragraph immediately following the captain "Public Health Service" in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1949, \$1,115,000, which amount shall be in addition to amounts appropriated elsewhere for the same purposes and shall be available for transfer to the appropriation "Commissioned officers, pay, and so forth," in such amounts as the Surgeon General may determine.

Ante, p. 399.

Ante, p. 402.

BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT SECURITY (SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION)

Grants to States for unemployment compensation and employment service administration: For grants to the several States (including Alaska and Hawaii) in accordance with the provisions of the Act of June 6, 1933, as amended (29 U. S. C. 49-491), for carrying into effect section 602 of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, and for grants to the States as authorized in title III of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C., ch. 7, subch. III), including, upon the request of any State, the payment of rental for space made available to such State in lieu of grants for such purpose, \$130,000,000, of which not to exceed \$675,000 shall be available to the Federal Security Administrator for necessary expenses in connection with the operation of employment office facilities and services in the District of Columbia and for use in carrying into effect section 602 of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 in Puerto Rico: *Provided*, That no State shall be required to make any appropriation as provided in section 5 (a) of said Act of June 6, 1933, prior to July 1, 1950: *Provided further*, That, notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in section 5 (a) or section 6 of the Act of June 6, 1933, or in section 302 (a) of the Social Security Act, as amended, the Federal Security Administrator shall from time to time certify to the Secretary of the Treasury for payment to each State found to be in compliance with the requirements of the Act of June 6, 1933, and with the provisions of section 303 of the Social Security Act, as amended, such amounts as he determines to be necessary for the proper and efficient administration of its unemployment compensation law and of its public employment offices: *Provided further*, That such amounts as may be agreed upon by the Federal Security Agency and the Post Office Department shall be used for the payment, in such manner as said parties may jointly determine, of postage for the transmission of official mail matter in connection with the administration of unemployment compensation systems and employment services by States receiving grants herefrom.

In carrying out the provisions of said Act of June 6, 1933, the provisions of section 303 (a) (1) of the Social Security Act, as amended, relating to the establishment and maintenance of personnel standards on a merit basis, shall apply.

Reconversion unemployment benefits for seamen: For payments to seamen as authorized by title XIII of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C., ch. 7, subch. XIII), \$750,000.

Salaries and expenses: For expenses necessary for the general administration of the employment service and unemployment compensation programs, including personal services in the District of Columbia, \$5,754,000, of which \$2,265,000 shall be for carrying into effect the provisions of title IV (except section 602) of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944.

Grants to States, fiscal year 1950: For making, after May 31, 1949, payments to States under title III of the Social Security Act, as amended, and under the Act of June 6, 1933, as amended, for the first quarter of the fiscal year 1950, such sums as may be necessary, the obligations incurred and the expenditures made thereunder for payments under such title and under such Act of June 6, 1933, to be charged to the appropriation therefor for the fiscal year 1950.

48 Stat. 113.
29 U. S. C., Supp.
I, § 49 note.
58 Stat. 294.
38 U. S. C. § 695b.
49 Stat. 626.
42 U. S. C. §§ 501-503.

58 Stat. 294.
38 U. S. C. § 695b.

48 Stat. 114, 115.
29 U. S. C. §§ 49d (a), 49e.

49 Stat. 626.
42 U. S. C. § 502 (a).

49 Stat. 626.
42 U. S. C. § 503.

Postage.

49 Stat. 626.
42 U. S. C. § 503 (a) (1).

Post, p. 1032.

60 Stat. 962.
42 U. S. C. §§ 1331-1336.

Post, pp. 449, 1032.

58 Stat. 293.
38 U. S. C. §§ 695-695f; Supp. I, § 695.

49 Stat. 626.
42 U. S. C. §§ 501-503.
48 Stat. 113.
29 U. S. C. §§ 49-49f; Supp. I, § 49 note.

Transfer of U. S.
Employment Service.

58 Stat. 293.
38 U. S. C. §§ 695-
695f; Supp. I, § 695.

59 Stat. 617.
5 U. S. C. § 133y-7.

Effective July 1, 1948, the United States Employment Service, including its functions under title IV of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944, is transferred to the Federal Security Agency, and on and after such date the functions of the Secretary of Labor with respect to the United States Employment Service are transferred to the Federal Security Administrator and shall be performed by him or, under his direction and control, by such officers and employees of the Federal Security Agency as he may designate. There are transferred to the Federal Security Agency, for use in connection with the functions transferred by the provisions of this paragraph, the personnel, property, and records of the Department of Labor related to the United States Employment Service, and the balances of such prior appropriations, allocations, and other funds available to the United States Employment Service as the Director of the Bureau of the Budget may determine. The provisions of section 9 of the Reorganization Act of 1945 (Public Law 263, Seventy-ninth Congress) shall apply to the transfer effected by this paragraph in like manner as if such transfer were a reorganization of the agencies and functions concerned under the provisions of that Act.

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

49 Stat. 620, 627, 645.
42 U. S. C. §§ 301-
306, 601-606, 1201-1206;
Supp. I, § 303 note.
Ante, p. 439.

60 Stat. 810.

60 Stat. 810.

60 Stat. 979.
42 U. S. C., Supp. I,
§ 410 note.
Advance of funds.

Post, pp. 448, 447.

47 Stat. 412.
Repair, etc., of cer-
tain buildings.

Grants to States for public assistance: For grants to States for old-age assistance, aid to dependent children, and aid to the blind as authorized in titles I, IV, and X of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C., ch. 7, subch. I, IV, and X), \$797,000,000, of which such amount as may be necessary shall be available for grants for any period in the fiscal year 1948 subsequent to March 31, 1948.

Salaries and expenses, Bureau of Public Assistance: For expenses necessary for the Bureau of Public Assistance, including personal services in the District of Columbia and services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a); \$1,350,000.

Salaries and expenses, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance: For necessary expenses, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; purchase of one passenger motor vehicle for replacement only; services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a); not more than \$36,122,000 may be expended from the Federal old-age and survivors insurance trust fund, together with \$277,000 from the general fund of the Treasury (for carrying out title II of the Act of August 10, 1946 (42 U. S. C. 410)), the two amounts to be accounted for as one fund: *Provided*, That of the amount herein made available for expenditure, advances in not to exceed the amounts indicated shall be made to appropriations of the Federal Security Agency as follows: \$297,500 to "Salaries, Office of the General Counsel" for legal services; and \$300,000 to "Salaries, Office of the Administrator", \$160,000 to "Salaries and expenses, Division of Service Operations", and \$67,000 to "Salaries and expenses, Office of the Commissioner", for expenses properly allocable to activities relating to the old-age and survivors insurance program: *Provided further*, That of the amount herein made available for expenditure, not more than \$95,000 may be expended without regard to section 322 of the Act of June 30, 1932, as amended (40 U. S. C. 278a), for alterations, repairs, and improvements to the Candler Building in Baltimore, Maryland, and to the Sterling Annex of the Elks Building in Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, of which amount not more than \$15,000 may be spent for alterations, repairs, and equipment for an employee cafeteria in the Candler Building, which amount, except such part as may be necessary for incidental expenses of the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance, may be transferred to the Public Buildings Administration, Federal Works Agency, for

such purposes: *Provided further*, That any sums received by the Administrator as payment for services performed for any department or agency of the Government by persons whose salaries are paid from the amount made available under this paragraph shall be deposited to the credit of this appropriation for the fiscal year in which such sums are received, and shall be available for the same purposes.

Reimbursement to Federal old-age and survivors insurance trust fund: For reimbursement to the Federal old-age and survivors insurance trust fund for benefits paid during the fiscal year 1947 to the survivors of veterans of World War II eligible for benefits as provided under section 210 of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C. 410), \$2,974,000.

Salaries and expenses, Children's Bureau: For necessary expenses in carrying out the Act of April 9, 1912, as amended (29 U. S. C. 18a), and title V of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C., ch. 7, subch. V), and the emergency maternity and infant care program, including personal services in the District of Columbia; services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a); and purchase of reports and material for the publications of the Children's Bureau and of reprints for distribution; \$1,455,000: *Provided*, That no part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to promulgate or carry out any instruction, order, or regulation relating to the care of obstetrical cases which discriminate between persons licensed under State law to practice obstetrics: *Provided further*, That the foregoing proviso shall not be so construed as to prevent any patient from having the services of any practitioner of her own choice, paid for out of this fund, so long as State laws are complied with: *Provided further*, That any State plan which provides standards for professional obstetrical services in accordance with the laws of the State shall be approved.

Salaries and expenses, Conference on Children and Youth: For expenses necessary in preparation for a 1950 Conference on Children and Youth, including personal services in the District of Columbia; services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a); purchase of reports and material for reports; and expenses of cooperating officials and consultants in attending meetings; \$75,000.

Grants to States for maternal and child welfare: For grants to States for maternal and child-health services, services for crippled children, and child-welfare services as authorized in title V, parts 1, 2, and 3, of the Social Security Act, as amended (42 U. S. C., ch. 7, subch. V), \$22,000,000: *Provided*, That any allotment to a State pursuant to section 502 (b) or 512 (b) of such Act shall not be included in computing for the purposes of subsections (a) and (b) of sections 504 and 514 of such Act an amount expended or estimated to be expended by the State.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Commissioner: For expenses necessary for the Office of the Commissioner for Social Security, including personal services in the District of Columbia and services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a); \$235,000.

Grants to States, fiscal year 1950: For making, after May 31, 1949, payments to States under titles I, IV, V, and X, respectively, of the Social Security Act, as amended, for the first quarter of the fiscal year 1950, such sums as may be necessary, the obligations incurred and the expenditures made thereunder for payments under each of such titles to be charged to the appropriation therefor for the fiscal year 1950.

In the administration of titles I, IV, V, and X, respectively, of the Social Security Act, as amended, payments to a State under any

49 Stat. 625.
42 U. S. C., Supp. I,
§ 410 note.

37 Stat. 79.

49 Stat. 629.
42 U. S. C. §§ 701-
705, 711-715, 721, 731;
Supp. I, §§ 703a, 704a
note; 29 U. S. C. § 45b.
60 Stat. 810.

Care of obstetrical
cases.

60 Stat. 810.

49 Stat. 629.
42 U. S. C. §§ 701-
705, 711-715, 721, 731;
Supp. I, §§ 703a, 704a
note; 29 U. S. C. § 45b.
49 Stat. 629, 631.
42 U. S. C. §§ 702 (b),
712 (b).

Ante, p. 446; *post*,
p. 449.

60 Stat. 810.

49 Stat. 620, 627, 629,
645.
42 U. S. C. §§ 301-
306, 601-606, 701-705,
711-715, 721, 731, 1201-
1206.
Ante, p. 439.

of such titles for any quarter in the period beginning April 1, 1948, and ending June 30, 1949, may be made with respect to a State plan approved under such title prior to or during such period, but no such payment shall be made with respect to any plan for any quarter prior to the quarter in which such plan was submitted for approval.

OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Ante, p. 446; *post*,
p. 449.

Salaries, Office of the Administrator: Salaries, Office of the Administrator, including personal services in the District of Columbia and services as authorized by section 15 of the Act of August 2, 1946 (5 U. S. C. 55a), \$1,694,000.

60 Stat. 810.

Ante, p. 446; *post*,
p. 449.

Salaries and expenses, Division of Service Operations: For expenses necessary for the Office of the Administrator, including personal services in the District of Columbia for the Division of Service Operations and examination of estimates for appropriations in the field; \$818,700: *Provided*, That the Administrator may reimburse, in advance of obligations incurred, this appropriation from appropriations of constituent organizations of the Federal Security Agency in such sums as may be necessary to finance the purchase of materials and equipment required in performance of work for such constituent organizations.

Ante, pp. 397, 446.

Salaries, Office of the General Counsel: Salaries, Office of the General Counsel, including personal services in the District of Columbia, \$304,000.

Civilian war benefits: For payment of benefits, to enable the Federal Security Administrator to continue the civilian war benefits program as provided for under this head in title II of the Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1947, \$85,000.

60 Stat. 696.

Terminal leave: On request of the Federal Security Administrator, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to transfer such amounts as may be necessary, but not to exceed a total of \$300,000, from unexpended balances of appropriations for the Federal Security Agency, fiscal year 1948, to an appropriation account to be established for the payment of annual leave of employees separated from the service as a result of transfers or consolidation of functions, or reductions of appropriations provided herein, to remain available until December 31, 1948.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Travel expenses.

SEC. 102. Appropriations under this title available for salaries and expenses shall be available for travel expenses and, when specifically authorized by the Federal Security Administrator, for expenses of attendance at meetings concerned with the function or activity for which any such appropriation is made.

SEC. 103. Appropriations under this title available for salaries and expenses shall be available for payment of claims pursuant to section 403 of the Federal Tort Claims Act (28 U. S. C. 921).

60 Stat. 843.
Post, p. 1008.
Exchange of books,
etc.

SEC. 104. Appropriations under this title available for salaries and expenses shall be available for exchange of books and for payment in advance when authorized by the Federal Security Administrator for dues or fees for library membership in organizations whose publications are available to members only or to members at a price lower than to the general public.

SEC. 105. Appropriations under this title available for salaries and expenses shall be available for health service programs as authorized by law (5 U. S. C. 150), and such amounts as may be necessary may be transferred to the appropriations of the organizational units operating such programs.

60 Stat. 903.

SEC. 106. Appropriations under this title available for salaries and expenses shall be available for printing and binding, including the purchase of reprints.

Printing and binding.

SEC. 107. The Federal Security Administrator, if he finds it necessary for the more practical and efficient operation of the Agency, shall have the authority to transfer funds between the appropriations "Salaries, Office of the Administrator", "Salaries and expenses, Division of Service Operations", "Salaries and expenses, Office of the Commissioner", and "Salaries and expenses, Bureau of Employment Security", but no appropriation shall be either increased or decreased more than 5 per centum by such transfers: *Provided*, That no such transfers shall be used for the purpose of creating new functions or for the purpose of effectuating the transfer of functions between appropriations.

Transfer of funds.

Ante, pp. 448, 447, 446.

SEC. 108. None of the funds appropriated by this title to the Bureau of Employment Security or to the Social Security Administration for grants-in-aid of State agencies to cover, in whole or in part, the cost of operation of said agencies, including the salaries and expenses of officers and employees of said agencies, shall be withheld from the said agencies of any States which have established by legislative enactment and have in operation a merit system and classification and compensation plan covering the selection, tenure in office, and compensation of their employees, because of any disapproval of their personnel or the manner of their selection by the agencies of the said States, or the rates of pay of said officers or employees.

Withholding of moneys from State agencies.

SEC. 109. No part of any appropriation contained in this title shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any person who engages in a strike against the Government of the United States or who is a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, or who advocates, or is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided*, That for the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima facie evidence that the person making the affidavit has not contrary to the provisions of this section engaged in a strike against the Government of the United States, is not a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, or that such person does not advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence: *Provided further*, That any person who engages in a strike against the Government of the United States or who is a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, or who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence and accepts employment the salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation contained in this title shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both: *Provided further*, That the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for, any other provisions of existing law.

Persons engaging, etc., in strikes against or advocating overthrow of U. S. Government.

Affidavit.

Penalty.

TITLE II—REDUCTIONS IN APPROPRIATIONS

SEC. 201. Amounts made available in the Department of Labor Appropriation Act, 1949, are hereby reduced in the sums hereinafter set forth, such sums to be carried to the surplus fund and covered into the Treasury immediately upon the approval of this Act:

Office of the Secretary, salaries and expenses, \$22,000;

Ante, p. 394.

Ante, p. 395.
Short title.

Salaries and expenses, Office of the Solicitor, \$28,550.
SEC. 202. This Act may be cited as "The Supplemental Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1949".

JOSEPH W. MARTIN JR
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A H VANDENBERG
President of the Senate pro tempore.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.,
June 16, 1948.

Certificate of House
of Representatives.

The House of Representatives having proceeded to reconsider the bill (H. R. 6355) entitled "An Act making supplemental appropriations for the Federal Security Agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and for other purposes", returned by the President of the United States with his objections, to the House of Representatives, in which it originated, it was

Resolved, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the House of Representatives agreeing to pass the same.

Attest:

JOHN ANDREWS
Clerk.

Certificate of origin.

I certify that this Act originated in the House of Representatives.

JOHN ANDREWS
Clerk.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,
June 16 (legislative day, June 15), 1948.

Certificate of Sen-
ate.

The Senate having proceeded to reconsider the bill (H. R. 6355) entitled "An Act making supplemental appropriations for the Federal Security Agency for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1949, and for other purposes", returned by the President of the United States with his objections, to the House of Representatives, in which it originated, and passed by the House of Representatives on reconsideration of the same, it was

Resolved, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative.

Attest:

CARL A. LOEFFLER
Secretary.

[CHAPTER 473]

AN ACT

June 16, 1948

[H. R. 6407]

[Public Law 647]

To encourage the development of an international air-transportation system adapted to the needs of the foreign commerce of the United States, of the postal service, and of the national defense, and for other purposes.

International Avia-
tion Facilities Act.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SHORT TITLE

SECTION 1. This Act may be cited as the "International Aviation Facilities Act".

DEFINITIONS

SEC. 2. For the purposes of this Act:

"Air Coordinating
Committee."
49 U. S. C. § 421
note.

(1) The term "Air Coordinating Committee" means the committee established by Executive Order Numbered 9781, dated September 19, 1946, or such successor agency or agencies as may exercise the same or